

House Resolution No. 2751

Whereas, as the 2002-2003 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Potosi R-III School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on June 30, 2003, with the retirement of John Charles Mowry who has devoted many years of his life to the educational development of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as a speech/language pathologist; and

Whereas, John Mowry has taught for thirty-four years at Potosi R-III, where he is held in high esteem as a highly qualified professional who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, John Mowry has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, chosen for Outstanding Young Men of America honors, John Mowry has also distinguished himself as a licensed speech/language pathologist in private practice with Washington County Memorial Hospital; and

Whereas, John Mowry has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include his wife, Emma Lou Mowry, and one son and daughter-in-law, Dr. John Kevin Mowry and Dr. Cathy Mowry:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join the Potosi R-III School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that John Mowry has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing him the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that he so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for John Charles Mowry, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by _____
Representative Belinda Harris
District No. 110

Representative J.C. Kuessner
District No. 152

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2751, adopted May 9, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker